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USING A RENORMALIZATION GROUP TRANSFORM

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a ONE (1) month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Non-Final Office Action, dated February 24, 2004. The new period for response will expire June 24, 2004.

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee for this Petition to the Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories, Inc. Deposit

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In the event the requested extension of time is insufficient, consider this as a Petition for an extension for the required period and charge the fee required to the Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories, Inc. Deposit Account No.: 50-0749.

A response to the outstanding Non-Final Office Action is being filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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